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ONE CENT



## IS A DANGEROUS FOE.

Michigan Fruit Growers Warned  
Against the San Jose  
Scale.

## HAS APPEARED IN MANY STATES

Its Destruction in Michigan Will  
Save Horticulturalists Millions of Dollars.

Fruit growers of this locality are considerably alarmed over the reported devastation of fruit trees in various states by an insect called the San Jose scale. It is not known that the pest has appeared in Michigan, but if it has not it is likely to as shipments of stock from infected nurseries are being daily received in this state. Concerning the scale Prof. L. R. Taft, of the agricultural college, has the following to offer in a circular letter addressed to the fruit growers of the state:

"The San Jose scale was carried to New Jersey from California in 1885 upon plum trees and was introduced into several nurseries, but its dangerous character was not fully recognized for several years. In the meantime it had multiplied rapidly and has been scattered here and there over nearly all the Atlantic States, and has been found in Pennsylvania, Ohio, Indiana, Illinois and other western states.

"In New Jersey, where it has gained the strongest foot-hold, it is regarded as the most dangerous foe of the horticulturist; its presence in Ohio has been known for several years, but new colonies are being found in unexpected places, and great damage has been done in many localities, notably upon Catawba Island, where at least 20,000 peach trees have been infested and many of them have been ruined by it; in Illinois it was not detected until recently, but it is now known to occur in at least fifteen places, most of which are widely scattered, and in some of them it has been distributed over an area a half-mile square.

"While we have no knowledge of its existence in Michigan, it is more than likely that it is scattered over the state, unnoticed, or, at least, unreported, as the number of shipments of nursery trees into Michigan from infested nurseries is three times as great as into Illinois, where fifteen colonies have been discovered, with other orchards yet to hear from.

"This scale attacks the trunks, branches and fruit of all orchard trees, and is also found on the raspberry, blackberry, currant, gooseberry, and many shade trees. It is to be especially feared on account of the rapidity with which it multiplies, as there are from three to four broods during a season, and it will come to maturity the progeny of a single female scale will number from 15,000,000 to more than 3,000,000,000 in one season. Its small size permits it to remain unnoticed until its numbers have largely increased, and it has greatly injured, if it has not ruined, the tree. At best they have but little power to move about, but are distributed to considerable distances upon other insects and birds.

"The most probable means of infection to Michigan orchards is upon nursery stock, and particularly if within the past six years you have purchased trees from eastern nurseries we urge you to at once carefully examine them, as there is a possibility that they are infested with this scale. Particular attention should be paid to the branches that are two or three years old or to the trunks of young trees, as there they will be most numerous and most easily detected. When plentiful upon the trees they will have an ash-gray, scurfy appearance, and may cover a considerable area of the bark with several layers of small, flattened scales that can be readily scraped off with the thumb nail. The living insects are nearly black in color and are about the size of the head of a pin.

"The young insects are able to move about for a short time, but soon become fixed upon the trees and, inserting a long, slender tube into the bark, suck out the sap. With thousands and even millions upon a tree it can readily be seen that great injury will be done by robbing it of its food and also on account of the punctures made by the insects.

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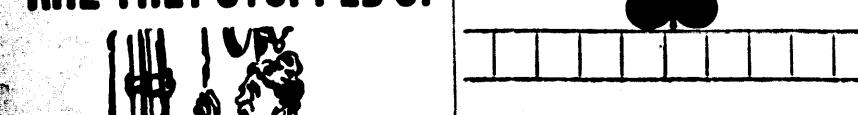
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**SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 6, 1897.**

The Coloma Courier really has the audacity to say to those newspaper men in this county (and makes no exception to the Benton Harbor whiner) who are continually crying that there are too many newspapers: "A business interest is no more worthy to survive under old time management than under an up to date regime." It was the boast of the late George W. Childs that no competition could hurt a really good newspaper which made the most of its opportunities.

It has been learned that Spain's plan of "reform" in the administration of Cuban affairs includes the proposition that Cuba may establish a tariff, but only on condition that it shall so differentiate the duties as to protect imports from Spain. Cleveland and Olney will have a nice time in getting the United States to aid in forcing upon the revolutionists a plan which would shut our business men out of the markets of the island.

PRESIDENT E. K. Warren has equipped a reading room in his featherbone factory at Three Oaks for the benefit of his employees during the noon hour. Instead of gossiping and telling idle yarns the employees now improve their minds and are enabled to do more intelligent work. The enterprising policy of Mr. Warren is a happy contrast to some of the employers in this city who refuse to give a cent toward the maintenance of the Young Men's Christian association.

**Star in the East.**

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OF CURE FOR THREE  
DEADLY DISEASES.**

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BUFFALO UNDERTAKES THE  
MANUFACTURE AND DIS-  
TRIBUTION OF THE REM-  
EDY KNOWN AS DODD'S  
KIDNEY PILLS—  
MAGIC RESTOR-  
ATION.**

BUFFALO, Dec. 11.—A new industry has located here. It is the DODDS MEDICINE COMPANY, of the United States. Its offices are Nos. 638, 640 and 642 in the magnificent new Ellicot Square Building.

The DODDS MEDICINE CO. has purchased the rights for the entire United States for the manufacture and distribution of DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS, which have obtained such widespread renown throughout Canada, where for some years past they have been made and sold by the DODDS MEDICINE CO., Limited, of Toronto.

The success of this enterprise should be even greater in the United States than in Canada, for far more Americans than Canadians suffer from Kidney Disease. Statistics show that over ninety (90) per cent of the people in the United States die from Kidney Disease in some form. Most prevalent are Bright's Disease, Diabetes and Rheumatism.

For each of these dreadful scourges, DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS IS THE PROPER SPECIFIC. Indeed, it is the only KNOWN REMEDY.

Hundreds of citizens in the States and thousands in Canada have been cured of Kidney disease by DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS. Their cures are many times marvelous; in all instances, without—complete—permanent.

Already here in Buffalo, although it is scarcely two months since the DODD'S MEDICINE CO., of the United States, was incorporated and operating, many cures have been reported in this city and neighboring towns.

There can be no doubt or quibble about the efficacy of DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS, which are now being introduced all through the States of Michigan, Minnesota and other states adjoining Canada where the fame of the pills has preceded their distribution to the drug trade. Testimonials are received every day. They are autographs. They come uncollected. They are credible, honest, genuine. Here is a sample:

DODD'S MEDICINE CO., Buffalo.

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MAX WALTHERS, Gardener, 121 Hawley St., Buffalo, N. Y.

**The Poppy.**

The poppy throughout the east is an emblem of death. In many parts of India this flower is planted upon graves and in cemeteries. Whether or not the idea was suggested by the poisonose character of the juice is uncertain. It is believed that the poppy was known as a funeral plant to the ancient Egyptians, and that the tomb opened by

Montezuma by a Dynastic Execution.

Frankfort, Ky., Feb. 6.—Joe Robbie and John Thomas, stonecutters, were working on a granite monument in

**REST OF THE CABINET**

Much Talk as to the Other Members Who Will Be Selected  
by McKinley.

**HANNA VISITS CANTON AGAIN.**

Story That Bushnell Has Decided to Turn Hanna Down is Not Credited.

Canton, O., Feb. 6.—National Chairman M. A. Hanna, who came here yesterday afternoon, spent about three hours in the city, the greater part of which was devoted to consultation with Major McKinley. He had nothing to say to the Associated Press at the train either when he arrived or departed. "I am not talking now," he said, "because I have nothing to say, and there is no use insisting." While there was much conjecture in Canton and elsewhere when his visit was announced about the conference being in connection with his acceptance of the postmaster generalship, it is not believed that such was the object of the trip. The Washington, Columbus and Cleveland gossip predicting that Hanna will not enter the senate as the successor of Senator Sherman, because Governor Bushnell will not appoint him is not generally believed here and by the majority of Ohioans who come here.

**Nothing in the Senatorial Story.**

There has really nothing developed to warrant such a negative conclusion, and the belief of well-informed men is that the situation is now, as it has been ever since Senator Sherman's acceptance of the premiership, that is that there is a very strong probability of Hanna's appointment. Hanna was accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Bellamy Storer, of Cincinnati. Storer, who is an ex-representative, is a close friend of Major McKinley, and has been spoken of in connection with a number of responsible positions, including first assistant secretary of state and consul to Rome. But nothing of definite nature is known here on the subject at this time.

**A Visitor Who Was Incongruous.**

One of the day's visitors arrived from the east, and while he declined to give his name or talk of his mission it is supposed that he was John L. Searles, of New York. He went to the train on which Hanna arrived and the two men rode alone to the McKinley house.

There was a vague rumor that Searles was here on behalf of Colonel J. J. McCook for a cabinet place, but nothing in the line of verification is obtainable. However, Colonel McCook is still in cabinet gossip. With extreme doubt surrounding Judge Goff and the attorney generalship that position seems likely to go either to the extreme east or extreme west of the country.

**Death of Judge McKenna.**

Judge McKenna's interview for the Associated Press, in which he said he would accept a cabinet position, but did not know which particular one, is accepted here as the real situation, the undecided question being whether he will be called for the interior or the attorney generalship, the decision hinging on the other members to be selected.

Colonel McCook, it is believed, is among those who are being considered. The Logan C. Murray visit, together with other Kentucky visits recently, gives the impression that Blue Grass Republicans are seeking a cabinet place, John Adlison Porter, editor of the Hartford Evening Post, who has been selected for President McKinley's private secretary, came here yesterday afternoon and remained over night. He devoted considerable of the afternoon to getting acquainted with the correspondents stationed here, and he charmed all by his sociability and his ease and grace of conversation.

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**Abbreviated Telegrams.**

**MARY WRAY CELEBRATES 105TH BIRTHDAY.**

New York, Feb. 6.—A meeting was held at the chamber of commerce yesterday of the New York signers to a paper favoring the organization of a non-partisan "National Sound Money League." The names of more than 100 men of prominence in financial and business circles of this city appear on the paper. The headquarters of the National Sound Money League will be in Chicago as soon as its work is formally begun. Marshall Field, of Chicago, is proposed for the presidency.

**MUCH WEALTH IN THE GREAT MOTHER.**

Guthrie, Okla., Feb. 6.—A detachment of the troops has succeeded in locating the miners at work in the Wichita mountains, and has driven them out, and a party of them are now held under arrest at Fort Sill. William Cooley, an old California miner, said that before being molested his party located some very rich ores. He declares that the Great Mother of the Wichita mountains is one of the greatest carbonate belts in the world.

**More Praise for Mr. Enders' Work.**

A. J. Enders, Coloma, Mich. Dear Sir: The granite monument you have lately erected at the Pipestone cemetery contracted for by me not only gives high satisfaction but I must say you have more than filled your contract. The design and workmanship is most neat and artistic and I am so well pleased with it that with great pleasure I can recommend to my friends that they call on you whenever they may desire anything in your line.

Yours truly,

THEODORE CLARK.

Pipestone, Mich.

**TAKES NOTICE.**

A. E. Nichols, the dime deliveryman, has changed his office from Lowe & Rouse's drug store to Harry L. Bird's.

Mr. Nichols says please try him at his new office and orders will receive more prompt attention. Phone 15, 3 rings.

Orders may also be left at Michael & Beeny's.

**LISTER'S BONE MEAT.**

The season for bone meat is at hand.

For Joseph Lister's celebrated meal orders may be left with P. Boehm, Bent Harbor.

C. H. FARNUM, General Agent.

**RATES TO THE HOSPITAL.**

On account of the inauguration the Big Four will sell special excursion tickets to Washington, good going March 1, 2 and 3, and leaving Washington not earlier than March 4 and not later than March 8; inclusive, on one first class fare for the round trip.

L. G. SMITH, Agent.

**THE CITY STEAM LAUNDRY DOES MORE WORK THAN ALL OTHER LAUNDRIES IN BERGEN COUNTY COMBINED.**

It is the work that has built up the trade.

For a lode in some vast wilderness where no man has ever been, the best.

For the next 60 days C. R. Hollis & Son will sell their entire stock at a discount before the storm.

22-23-24-25-26-27-28-29-30-31-32-33-34-35-36-37-38-39-40-41-42-43-44-45-46-47-48-49-50-51-52-53-54-55-56-57-58-59-60-61-62-63-64-65-66-67-68-69-70-71-72-73-74-75-76-77-78-79-80-81-82-83-84-85-86-87-88-89-90-91-92-93-94-95-96-97-98-99-100-101-102-103-104-105-106-107-108-109-110-111-112-113-114-115-116-117-118-119-120-121-122-123-124-125-126-127-128-129-130-131-132-133-134-135-136-137-138-139-140-141-14

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# The White House Store

SEE  
A FEW  
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Four hours each day

9 to 11 forenoon. 2 to 4 afternoon

|       |      |                                                             |     |   |    |   |     |
|-------|------|-------------------------------------------------------------|-----|---|----|---|-----|
| 9     | to   | 11                                                          | a m | 2 | to | 4 | p m |
| 50    | doz. | Ladies' and Children's<br>Wool Mittens, per pair, . . . . . | 5c  |   |    |   |     |
| 25    | doz. | Children's Vests, at . . . . .                              | 5c  |   |    |   |     |
| 50    | "    | Ladies' Wool Pants and Vests, 33c                           |     |   |    |   |     |
| 50    | "    | Men's White Shirts, at 33 1-3c                              |     |   |    |   |     |
| 50    | "    | Men's and Boys' Underwear, 19c                              |     |   |    |   |     |
| 5,000 | yds. | L. L. Sheeting, at . . . . .                                | 4c  |   |    |   |     |
| 5,000 | "    | Bleached Muslin, at 4 1-2c                                  |     |   |    |   |     |
| 4,000 | "    | All Wool Dress Flannels, 16c                                |     |   |    |   |     |
| 5,000 | "    | Dark and Shirting Prints, 4c                                |     |   |    |   |     |
| 50    | doz. | Towels, at . . . . .                                        | 4c  |   |    |   |     |

Large stock of Men's and Boys' Clothing, 25 per cent off during these four hours daily.

## C. & J. SCHERER,

111 West Main street,

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**MICHIGAN'S FAVORITE CIGAR**  
LARGE SIZE 10¢ STRAIGHT MEDIUM SIZE 3 FOR 25¢.  
SATISFIES THE MOST CRITICAL SMOKERS  
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328 We Are Not on the Corner  
Pipetstone St. is the Place

We have put in a stock of **SCHOOL SUPPLIES and STATIONERY**

Our Stock of Groceries is Most Complete and Fresh

Prompt delivery to all parts of the city...

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BRINGS BACK TO YOUNG AND OLD THEIR LOST MANHOOD.  
STEALING AWAY HIS LIFE.

**STRANDED WRECKS.** He died of no disease known to medical science. Who is to blame? — **WEAKER, MORE NERVOLESS, AND HOPELESS**, day by day. **UNHAPPY VICTIM OF THE WORLD.** He has been humiliated by **Frank Remond** and **SO CALLED FREE CURES.** We challenge the **WORLD.** Let us write to-day with the **Stamp for our Testimonials and FREE BOOK.** Also statements from **Leading Drugists** on the merit of this Great Remedy. **THE ELIXIR OF YOUTH** cures all **NERVOUS DISEASES.** **WEAK MEMORY.** **Loss of Appetite.** **Bad Health.** **Evil Diseases.** **Loss of the Limbs and Back.** and **INSANITY** caused by youthful errors, or excesses, overindulgence or abuse of any kind of either sex. Ask for **Elixir of Youth**; take no other. Do not let the druggist substitute some remedy of his own make, under a foreign name. \$1 per bottle, six bottles for \$5. Under a guarantee to cure, money refunded.

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Boots, Shoes and Rubbers

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Relief in Six Hours

Distressing Kidney and Bladder diseases relieved in six hours by the "New South American Kidney Cure." This new remedy is a great surprise on account of its exceeding promptness in relieving pain and the ordinary processes in men or female. It relieves retention of water and pain in passing it almost immediately.

**W. H. Berkheiser**

159 West Main Street.

Five horse steam engine for sale.

# WHAT IS PAINES CELERY COMPOUND? The Shadow of

Paine's celery compound is the one remedy that can be trusted to make a person well.

It stops the drain on the nervous system; dispels harmful humors from the blood, and increases its volume and its nourishing capacity.

Its ability to relieve those ailments that seem to be peculiarly the misfortune of women is overwhelmingly proved by the many testimonials from women of the highest standing in the communities where they live.

Its regulating power does away with "that disheartened feeling."

The aggravated causes of disordered

liver and kidneys, mental depression, hysteria and kindred troubles, are recognized and dealt with by Paine's celery compound, in a radical and scientific manner that embodies the most advanced medical ideas of this last decade of the century.

Paine's celery compound strengthens the stomach when it is irritable and inclined to indigestion, and prevents dyspepsia; it relieves palpitation of the heart that results from irregular nerve supply to that vital organ, and puts new life into the entire nervous system.

Persons in sad health are continually reminded of their heart, stomach or liver by distress in those organs. Whenever languor or pain

attack the body there is no question as to the urgent need of strengthening and restoring the health by Paine's celery compound. Women in trying occupations: not only housewives, but saleswomen, teachers, book-keepers and others, puffed up for long hours behind desks and counters will find their health and strength greatly improved by the use of Paine's celery compound.

A soundly nourished nervous system and a rich, pure blood supply brought about by Paine's celery compound are the best bulwark against such diseases as rheumatism, neuralgia, headache and sleeplessness. This great invigorator

not only cures these diseases; but by building up the system prevents their gaining a lodgment in the body.

When one hears it confidently declared by so many well-known and representative men and women everywhere that Paine's celery compound positively and permanently cures diseases that at first glance seem so remote from each other as chronic constipation, hysteria and nervousness, inquiry into those diseases shows that their common origin is a rundown, exhausted nervous system and vitiated blood, and Paine's celery compound builds up the one and purifies and strengthens the other.

COURTNEY THE FARMER-THEIF.

More Stolen Property Found on the Farm of the Rascal.

The lawyer had won an important case for the man. He had dabbled in stocks of one kind and another, and, hard luck having overtaken him, he had bolstered up his vanishing fortunes with \$50,000 of other people's money.

But the other people had troubles of their own. They had wants that needed catering to, and when they found that the dealer in stocks had invested their means of subsistence in an enterprise that would benefit no one but himself they arose with a howl of righteous indignation and brought a suit for damages.

That was where the lawyer had his chance. He knew the man was guilty, and he told him so. But for all that he cleared him. He charged a pretty big fee, \$3,000 being a conservative estimate of the value of his services. The man paid him \$2,500 in cash and promised to give him the other \$500 in month or two later. That was more than three years ago. The lawyer patiently waited on his client for a year, and then he put the matter in the hands of a collector.

In the course of two years the collector gathered in \$400, and then, as his salary was more than eating up the amount collected, the lawyer took the case from his client and gave it to the office boy. As an incentive to energetic work, he said:

"Jimmie, there is \$100 coming to me from Mr. —. If you can get anything out of him, I'll give you half of it."

Jimmie's eyes snapped, and he went to work. He labored diligently for three months. Monday morning at 11 o'clock he would go into the office and present his employer's claim, and so ran the gauntlet of the other five working days, and then repeat the procedure the succeeding week. The man got mad about it at first and threatened to throw the boy out of the office, but he finally thought better of it and contented himself with turning Jimmie away with some stinging rebuke.

Jimmie kept up the daily siege till

last Thursday. Then he was sick and could not come down town. About 2 o'clock the lawyer was in his private office holding a consultation with two clients, when there came an imperative rat-a-tat on his door. He bade the visitor enter, and a head, half concealed by a shock of bushy red hair, was thrust into the room.

"Please, sir," said a high keyed voice. "I'm from Mr. —. He wants to know why your boy ain't been over to town to dun 'im for that \$100 he owes you." —Chicago Tribune.

Wanted a Clock and a Thermometer.

I want something handsome in the way of a clock," he said to the jeweler.

"We have a very fine line of goods," was the response, "and the prices are very moderate."

"I don't care anything about the price. I want something that will show at a glance that it cost a whole lot of money."

"Certainly. We have some beautiful imported goods."

"That's the idea—something that came from abroad. I want an ornate pedestal and ornate trimmings and a statue on the top of it."

"Here's a veritable work of art."

"That's pretty well, but I'd like something more attractive than that. It's to be a birthday present to my wife. We haven't been keeping house very long, and she's been worried for fear people would think we were going without a clock because we couldn't afford one. I'm going to see that she has something so handsome that it'll dazzle everybody who comes into the parlor and so precious that it has to be kept under glass like a specimen in the museum."

"How is this one?" the jeweler inquired as he lifted a massively ornate article from a shelf.

"That's the very thing. That'll please her almost to death. Pack it up and ship it out to my house and send the bill to my office."

"It'll cost \$125," the jeweler mildly suggested.

"That's all right. It looks as if it were worth it."

He started for the door, but came back and said, "By the way, you'd better give me another clock—one of those small nickel plated affairs that cost about \$1 to \$2, so that we can stick it off in an obscure corner to look at when we want to know what time it is."

Wanted Acces to Our Demand.

Washington, Feb. 6.—Senor Andrade, accompanied by Secretary Olney, called on President Cleveland yesterday bearing a testimonial from the governor and people of the state of Zulia, Venezuela, in recognition of the good offices of the president and Secretary Olney in the matter of the boundary dispute. The testimonial consisted of a rosette composed of 172 samples of rare woods from the forests of Zulia, and a came made of 125 pieces of these woods.

For Ayer's Cherry Pectoral.

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ONE CENT.



## IS A DANGEROUS FOE.

Michigan Fruit Growers Warned  
Against the San Jose  
Scale.

## HAS APPEARED IN MANY STATES

Its Destruction in Michigan Will  
Save Horticultural Millions of Dollars.

Fruit growers of this locality are considerably alarmed over the reported devastation of fruit trees in various states by an insect called the San Jose scale. It is not known that this pest has appeared in Michigan, but if it has not it is likely to as shipments of stock from infested nurseries are being daily received in this state. Concerning the scale Prof. L. B. Tuft, of the agricultural college, has the following to offer in a circular letter addressed to the fruit growers of the state:

"The San Jose scale was carried to New Jersey from California in 1887 upon plum trees and was introduced into several nurseries, but its dangerous character was not fully recognized for several years. In the meantime it had multiplied rapidly and has been scattered here and there over nearly all the Atlantic States, and has been found in Pennsylvania, Ohio, Indiana, Illinois and other western states.

"In New Jersey, where it has gained the strongest hold, it is regarded as the most dangerous foe of the horticulturalist; its presence in Ohio has been known for several years, but new colonies are being found in unexpected places, and great damage has been done in many localities, notably upon Catawba grapes, where at least 20,000 peach trees have been infested and many of them have been ruined by it. In Illinois it was not detected until recently, but it is now known to occur in at least fifteen places, most of which are widely scattered, and in some of them it has been distributed over an area of half a mile square.

"While we have no knowledge of its existence in Michigan, it is more than likely that it is scattered over the state, unnoticed, or, at least, unreported, as the number of shipments of nursery trees into Michigan from infested nurseries is three times as great as into Illinois, where fifteen colonies have been discovered, with other or chords yet to hear from.

"This scale attacks the trunks, branches and fruit of all orchard trees and is also found on the raspberry, blackberry, currant, gooseberry, and many shade trees. It is to be especially feared on account of the rapidity with which it multiplies, as there are from three to four broods during a season and it all come to maturity the progeny of a single female scale will number from 15,000,000 to more than 30,000,000 in one season. Its small size permits it to remain unnoticed until its numbers have largely increased, and it has greatly injured. If it has not ruined the tree. At best they have but little power to move about, but are distributed to considerable distances upon other insects and birds.

Prof. Delsarte (Rev. George A. Salter) then imparted instructions to the members, closing a very happy program.

Refreshments were served and dancing was enjoyed after the program.

## A GENTLE HINT.

How to Get Rid of "Too Many News-papers."

The Wiles Star says: "The newspaper situation in Berrien county is deplorable: there are three, yes, four times too many papers in this county. Let the people toss a button to decide whether they shall stand by the stable and old-time publication, or be like abiters, prejudiced, and deliberately ignore worthy business interests."

To this the Coloma Courier adds: "That's probably a fact, too many newspapers, and the proprietors of some of them do not profoundly wish all the others would get off the face of the earth—but they won't do it. Those who think there are too many newspapers can crawl away somewhere and if they want to, the people would not waste a button on 'em. A business interest is no more worthy to survive under old-time management than under an up-to-date regime. The latest publication in newspaperdom, as is the case in nearly every department of life and human endeavor, will survive. Don't obstruct the track."

An examination of the inner bark will show it to be of a dark red color, and this can generally be taken as indicative that the San Jose scale is upon the tree. If the scales are very numerous the tree will be ruined in two or three years at most.

In case you find any insects upon your trees that answer the above description, or that you have any reason to think are the San Jose scale, we urge you to cut off a little of the bark with a number of the insects upon it and, after soaking it in kerosene to destroy them and avoid the danger of scattering them, mail them to Horticultural Department, State Experiment Station, Agricultural College, Mich.

We shall be glad to examine them and report the name of the insect, with remedies for its destruction. By your hearty cooperation in this matter we hope to check the spread of the insect, and this may save to the fruit growers of Michigan thousands if not millions of dollars.

If you have any reason to believe that the scale has appeared in your neighborhood we shall be glad to know of it, together with any facts that you have regarding its appearance.

Dave Ryan sells groceries for cash. Make your money go a long ways. Call on him.

40 Years the Standard.

## MEN ENTERTAIN.

They Strive to Outdo the Ladies of the Universalist Church.

The ladies of the Universalist church who have long been recognized as being indisputably the cleverest stars in the local theatrical firmament, are confronted with dangerous rivals in the person of the staid church, and unless the ladies station a strong guard over their laurels they are likely to pass into possession of the men.

The men made their bow to an audience of 600 persons in Conley's opera house last evening. They gave a performance of distinct originality. Nothing similar was ever produced on the American stage. It possessed the element of variety to a highly pleasing extent. It partook of the variety of the melodrama, of the tragic and in each effect and sentiment sought, however startling, exaggerated or unnatural, the actors were successful. There were feats of high vaulting, an exhibition of autohypnotism, songs, pathetic and comic, intermixed.

The overture, a piano solo, was played by Fred Null, and the entertainment opened with a vocal solo by H. A. Feltz, whose rich tenor voice, Walter Harbor people love to hear. Walter Bready, a delightfully clever impersonator, convulsed the audience with an impersonation of Dr. Keith while the doctor was excitedly portraying his experience in landing a ten-pound carp. The doctor is the most successful carp angler in Michigan and like all true devotees of the piscatorial art he becomes greatly enthused when narrating his experiences.

The exhibition of autohypnotism, by which it was shown that a person influenced by a hypnotist could perform many of the feats which characterize the performance of the real subjects of a hypnotist, was surprising. A bright and nimble St. Joseph young man appeared as the subject and Charles R. Farmer acted as the professor of hypnotism. The girls gave a clever imitation of Santangelli's work and were roundly applauded.

J. Schaffer, as an amateur acrobat, exhibited considerable training in his work. The "Mysterious Finale," which the audience awaited with feverish expectancy, was a satirical representation of the Ossoli. Twenty men appeared in a group upon the stage and their purpose was announced by Fred A. Hobbs thus: "That's organizing a literary society. Some one moved that Mr. Hobbs be chosen as president. Without any further formality Mr. Hobbs declared himself elected. After considerable humorous discussion it was decided to adopt for the society the name, "Horsell." The horse was selected as the emblem and at this juncture the life size horse image which occupies a position in the window of W. C. Flory's store, was led upon the stage, and badges representing horses were tied to each member. A crying baby rested in the arms of one of the men, a mild reproof to the new woman.

The proceedings of the society to the close was intended as a good natural burlesque on the Ossoli, and was exceedingly humorous.

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## NOT MUCH TO SAY.

Railroad Commissioner Wessellus Looks at the Dangerous Railway Crossings.

## THEN GUES SILENTLY AWAY.

Intimates That He Will Confer With the Railroad Companies in Regard to the Matter.

Railroad Commissioner Wessellus, in the company of City Attorney Sears and a few citizens, this afternoon made an investigation of the necessity for protection against the dangers from accidents at the railway crossings on Territorial and Water streets.

The commissioner acknowledged that the railway companies should be required to either establish gates or watchmen at the points in question but he was not disposed to order them so to do until after they were heard on the matter.

He suggested that the city should improve Territorial street on either side of the Big Four crossing in which case much of the danger to persons and teams now existing would be removed.

He stated that he would immediately confer with the railway companies and obtain their objections against establishing the desired protection.

There is some doubt in the minds of many citizens as to the ability of the city or the commissioner to compel the railroads to protect the crossings in question. It is held that the supreme court of Indiana recently decided against such requirements.

Y. M. C. A. SENATE.

Last Night's Session Full of Excitement.

The mock Senate of the Young Men's Christian Association held a rather turbulent session last night. The excitement was produced by the introduction and subsequent discussion of a bill restricting immigration, submitted by the tariff bill by the special committee to whom was referred the latter bill and also the bill for the protection of common labor. The committee reported favorably on the labor bill and recommended its passage. For the tariff bill they substituted a bill denying the foreigners the right to land or become citizens of the United States unless they possessed a good moral character and possessed at least \$1,500 in money. A certificate of compliance with the above regulations must be procured of the proper authorities and a penalty of \$500 fine or six months imprisonment was attached for violation of the stipulations of the bill.

The discussion of the immigrant bill was opened by Senator Wetmore (Stratton) who, ably assisted by Senators Gorman (Hollister) and Burrows (Hindley), maintained that under the restrictions provided by the bill only the intelligent and more progressive class of foreigners would be received into the United States. Senators West (O'Hara), Clark (Purcell), White (Cameron) and Thurston (Valentine) opposed the bill, arguing that \$1,500 was not a sufficient amount to require foreigners to be in possession of. The restriction could easily be met that it would not materially affect immigration. At the close of the discussion the bill was laid on the table.

Three new bills were introduced and referred to the proper committees: Senator West (O'Hara) introduced a bill providing for the construction of a canal connecting the Grand Lake with the Atlantic ocean, appropriating \$5,000,000 for the scheme. Senator Hale (T. J. Harris) introduced a bill to prohibit the sole use and manufacture of intoxicating liquors. Senator Burrows (Fred Hinckley) introduced a bill appropriating \$8,000,000 to establish forts at New Orleans, San Francisco, Detroit and the mouth of the Potomac.

Bert Neimeyer, who has held the office of clerk, resigned and W. W. Stratton was chosen to fill the vacancy. In the absence of the president Joseph Emerson was appointed chairman.

The MITTAN VERDICT.

Buchanan Record: The verdict of the jury in the Mittan case, tried at St. Joseph last week, gives general satisfaction among the citizens of Buchanan.

Dewitt: Times: A jury of 12 intelligent men had the authority to pronounce a verdict of not guilty upon Mittan, when only last week, Judge Webster, of the Standard court, had found the man guilty of this terrible crime. Could it have been possible that the juryman did not see the Standard of last week, or were they heartless enough to crucify the accused of Judge Webster regardless of the respect due to his court.

Coloma Courier: Miss Edwards' faith in the innocence of the accused has not throughout the trying ordeal been shaken for a single moment. May Mrs. Mittan wear well.

"I HAVE TAKEN HOOD'S PILLS for biliousness and disorders of the stomach and bowels, and have always found them to be reliable."

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## DEFENDS SPIRITUALISM.

A. J. Kinsey Unmercifully Roasts a Would-be Critic.

In an interesting communication from A. J. Kinsey, of this city, published in yesterday's Chicago Chronicle that gentleman says:

"If you will kindly allow me space in the 'best paper' I should like to say a word in reply to a communication in your issue of yesterday signed 'Traveler.' I do not doubt 'Traveler's' word when he says he visited a so-called spiritual medium and received pretended communications from persons who were then in earth life. But what of that? What can 'Traveler' or anybody else do about it?

"I should like to relate a little experience of my own. A few years ago, while I was walking in Chicago one day, a young man approached me and snapping me familiarly on the shoulder began a conversation, addressing me as Mr. Fuller. I told the man my name and also informed him where I was from. Soon after the young man left me. I was approached by another man who called me by my true name and began to speak of Benton Harbor. Just then a police official came up and told me the man was a swindler.

"I want to ask 'Traveler' what he would think of me if from that single bit of experience I should conclude that all men are frauds? I suspect that he would say—and justly—that I was a fool. And I want to say to 'Traveler' that if he has never met any preachers, except the black sheep breed; if he has never seen any bank cashiers except the embezzling kind; if he has never heard of any city aldermen except the bootleg sort; if he has never seen an artificial light other than the tallow dip; if he has never seen or heard anything of spiritualism except the 'humbug' kind; if he has never visited any medium except the fraudulent kind, of which there are many—my advice to him is to begin at once to hustle and do some travelling or else forthwith change his nom de plume, for it is very evident that he has not, as yet, been a traveler to any charming extent."

Verdict for the Defendant.

A jury yesterday decided that Calvin D. Fogle, the plaintiff in an action for \$1,000 damage against Irving D. Hazzard for being denied the possession of a farm in Royalton township, was awarded a verdict yesterday afternoon. The jury at 4 o'clock reported an inability to decide on verdict. They were ordered to return to the jury room until they could agree. After a short deliberation a verdict for the plaintiff was announced. Sixty days to prepare and settle a bill of exceptions was allowed.

Verdict for the Defendant.

A jury yesterday decided that Calvin D. Fogle, the plaintiff in a suit against William and John Johnson for \$50 attorneys' fees, had not been retained as counsel by the defendants.

The case of Robert De Lapp against John T. Beckwith was taken up yesterday afternoon and will be concluded when court recesses.

Verdict Pronounced.

Howard Delano, of this city, who pleaded guilty to the charge of burglarizing Fred Locker's meat market in St. Joseph, was sentenced to serve two years in prison.

David Peoples pleaded guilty to being an accessory after the fact in the crime to which Delano pleaded guilty, and last night was sentenced to six months at Jackson. Delano and Peoples will be conveyed to prison next Monday.

List of Assignments.

Before adjourning last night Judge Coolidge made the following assignment of cases:

February 16—Robert De Lapp vs. John T. Beckwith, Pearl Mcintosh vs. William E. Morrow, Nora Olds vs. Darwin Sutherland.

February 17—Joseph McKnight vs. Charles H. Burke, Nathaniel Beardsley vs. Mary Rossmann, Thomas Whitney vs. John L. McIntyre, Terre Haute Brewing company vs. Frank Page, George B. Tatman vs. city of Benton Harbor.

February 18—John F. Chadwick vs. Rose Taber, George King vs. Perry C. Wimer, Michael Walsh vs. Margaret Walsh, D. McElroy & Son vs. Elizabeth Hogue, Lena Arndt vs. City of St. Joseph.

February 19—Emilie Wetmore vs. Leopold F. Husen, Joseph McKnight vs. Charles A. Burke, John N. Chadwick vs. Rose Taber, Dugger King vs. Perry C. Wimer, Michael Walsh vs. Margaret Walsh, D. McElroy & Son vs. Elizabeth Hogue, Lena Arndt vs. City of St. Joseph.

Since the local option law was repealed in Allegan county there has been little money in running "dry" hotels. It is said the Sherman house at Allegan will be closed for lack of patronage.

Notices for a New Trial.

A petition for a new trial has been filed in the circuit court by the plaintiff in the case of George Whitman against William P. Presente. The case was tried April 12, 1892, and judgment rendered for the defendants. June 10, 1893, the case was heard by Judge Coolidge without a jury, and again a judgment for the defendant was ordered.

The findings of the court were not in accordance with the evidence. S. W. Baker is attorney for the plaintiff.

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| Ladies' Cloth Cape, each | \$6.50  |
| Less one-half            | 3.25    |
| Present Price            | 3.25    |
| Ladies' Cloth Cape, each | \$8.50  |
| Less one-half            | 4.25    |
| Present Price            | 4.25    |
| Ladies' Jackets          | \$8.00  |
| Less one-half            | 4.00    |
| Present Price            | 4.00    |
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| 50    | doz. | Ladies' and Children's            |      |   |    |   |      |
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| 50    | "    | Ladies' Wool Pants and Vests, 33c |      |   |    |   |      |
| 50    | "    | Men's White Shirts, at 33 1-3c    |      |   |    |   |      |
| 50    | "    | Men's and Boys' Underwear, 19c    |      |   |    |   |      |
| 5,000 | yds. | L. L. Sheetings, at 4c            |      |   |    |   |      |
| 5,000 | "    | Bleached Muslin, at 4 1-2c        |      |   |    |   |      |
| 4,000 | "    | All Wool Dress Flannels, 16c      |      |   |    |   |      |
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attack the body there is no question as to the urgent need of strengthening and restoring the health by Paine's celery compound. Women in trying occupations; not only housewives, but saleswomen, teachers, book-keepers and others pent up for long hours behind desks and counters will find their health and strength greatly improved by the use of Paine's celery compound.

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## EVEN WITH THE 'DUN.'

**Spectator Squares Himself With His Lawyer Creditor.**

Ottumwa, Ia., Feb. 6.—Every day developments in the Mount Pleasant wholesale robbery case are more startling. Another horse and buggy was found on the farm of Arthur Courtney yesterday and identified as stolen from Swedenborg in October. Courtney was arrested on the second charge of grand larceny. Officers continue the search of the Courtney farm, and continually turn up more stolen goods in every conceivable place. Earlhart Courtney's farm hand, who was arrested first, has made a statement to the effect that Courtney planned all the numerous robberies and he assisted him in consummating them.

**BUTTER BEAT FOR THE BULGE STATE.**

Madison, Wis., Feb. 6.—The pure beer bill was introduced in the house yesterday by Rosenkrans, of Waukesha county. It is a copy of the famous New York law, except that the section relating to penalties is changed to make the penalties more severe. The university investigation resolution was held over to next Wednesday. A bill was introduced making all places, buildings or institutions in this state wherein persons are being detained, either with or without their consent, subject to visitation and inspection by the state board of control, any committee or member thereof, at any time.

**BALTIMORE ACCIDENT IN Cuba.**

Havana, Feb. 6.—A passenger train from Matanzas was accidentally derailed between Colon and Cartagena. An iron-bound, glass-enclosed, a baggage car and a third-class passenger car were derailed. The commander of the escort and four soldiers were wounded, one soldier was mutilated, and the engineer, fireman and the crew of the train and a man selling papers were killed. Among the passengers many were wounded.

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